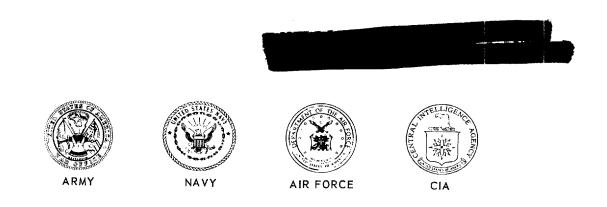
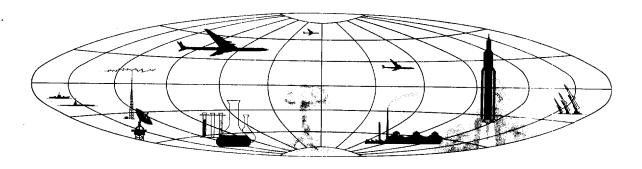
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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION: 3432. DATED 19 FEBRUARY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

SALAMANCA, SUSPECT SSM ACTIVITY 2227N 07940W

25X1D

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N Ø7929W

> SEVEN MISSILE TRANSPORTERS OBSERVED. CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W

SITE CONTAINS 6 REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS (2 LAUNCHERS VISIBLE), 6 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND A CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE RADAR. SCATTERED CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

MANATI SAM SITE 2113N Ø77Ø2W

SITE CONTAINS 6 LAUNCHERS (ONE OF WHICH IS REVETTED) AND 6 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS. GUIDANCE AREA IS OCCUPIED AND IS BEING REVETTED.

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SENADO SAM SITE 2136N Ø7733W

SITE ABANDONED.

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-AIRFIELDS-

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

AIRCRAFT -- 48 UNIDENTIFIED.

OBLIQUITY AND POOR IMAGE QUALITY PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

-PORTS-

PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N Ø7847W

25X1D NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER. NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

NUEVITAS PORT 2132N Ø7716W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER AND ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER DOCKED AT PUERTO PASTELILLO. THREE LARGE FREIGHTERS (INCLUDING THE ANCHORED IN NUEVITAS BAY.

NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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LA ISABELA PORT 2256N Ø8ØØ1W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER AND 2 COASTAL FREIGHTERS. NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

TURIGUANO ISLAND SEARCH AREA 2217N Ø7836W

25X1D

NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE TARGETS WERE COVERED EAST OF 76 DEGREES 30 MINUTES WEST LONGITUDE OR WEST OF 80 DEGREES 10 MINUTES WEST LONGITUDE ON MISSION 3432.

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

25X1A

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